

Iowa Capitol Visitor Information

Free self-guided and formal tours
available Monday through Saturday.



515-281-5591
1007 E. Grand Ave.



Capitol Tour Information

- Tours are provided at no cost. Schedule a tour by calling 515-281-5591. Tour guides strive to accommodate every tour request, even those without a scheduled tour.
- The tour guides and gift shop are located on the ground floor of the rotunda in the Iowa State Capitol.
- Groups of 10 or more should schedule a tour of the Capitol online at www.legis.iowa.gov.
- Self-guided tours of the Capitol and Capitol grounds are available anytime during normal business hours.

Capitol Tour Hours

- Tours are conducted Monday through Friday from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. and Saturday from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m.
- The Capitol is closed Sunday and New Year's Day, MLK Day, Memorial Day, Fourth of July, Labor Day, Veterans Day, Thanksgiving (and day after), and Christmas Day.

Capitol Entrances

- Public entrances are located on the ground floor of the Iowa State Capitol on the south and west sides of the building.
- Upon entrance into the building, the public will walk through a security scan.

Tour the Capitol Online www.legis.iowa.gov/Resources/tourcapitol.aspx

- Schedule a Tour of the Capitol/Virtual Tour/Videos of the Interior and Grounds/Videos of Behind the Ropes in the Capitol.
- Legislative Committee Room Maps.
- Bus Parking Map.
- Capitol Complex Information and Map.
- Driving Directions.

Capitol Gift Shop

- Iowa-related and Iowa State Capitol-related gifts.
- The shop is open from 9 a.m.-4 p.m. Monday through Friday and Saturday from 9 a.m.-3:30 p.m. Phone: 515-281-5591.